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Re: Taxpayer Demand

Dear Mr. Dann and Ms. Taylor-Kolis,

I have reviewed your May 8, 2019 letter to me and disagree with your legal analysis and conclusions. The papers submitted to the clerk do not constitute a petition for a proposed ordinance because they do not comply with the form required by Ohio law. The Clerk of City Council properly refused to transmit the defective forms to City Council. No legal analysis was required by the Clerk to determine the flaws in the paperwork.

Sincerely,

Barbara A. Langhenry
Director of Law

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cc: Patricia J. Britt, Clerk of Council
Kevin Kelley, Council President